Shannon Award

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Robert McEliece, a longtime member, supervisor, and consultant in the Information Processing Group has been awarded the 2004 Claude E. Shannon Award, the highest honor accorded by the Information Theory Society of the Institute for Electrical and Electronic Engineers. The Shannon Award has been instituted to honor consistent and profound contributions to the field of information theory. Each Shannon Award winner is expected to present a Shannon Lecture at the following IEEE International Symposium on Information Theory.